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#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

Mr. Addison Rice

Anderson, Mulholland and Associates

**DATE:** March 14, 2015

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FROM: R. Infante

FILE: 1503058

RE:

Data Validation Air samples

**SDG:** 1503058A/1503058B

#### **SUMMARY**

Full validation was performed on the data for several gas samples analyzed for selected volatile organic compounds by method Compendium Method TO-15: Determination Of Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs) In Air Collected In Specially-Prepared Canisters And Analyzed By Gas Chromatography/Mass Spectrometry (GC/MS), January, 1999. The samples were collected at the Bristol Myer Squib-Building facility, Humacao, PR site on March 02, 2015 and submitted to Eurofins Air Toxics, Inc. of Folson, California that analyzed and reported the results under delivery groups (SDG) 1503058A/1503058B.

The sample results were assessed according to USEPA data validation guidance documents in the following order of precedence: Compendium Method TO-15. Determination Of Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs) In Air Collected In Specially-Prepared Canisters And Analyzed By Gas Chromatography/Mass Spectrometry (GC/MS), January, 1999; Validating Air Samples. Volatile Organic Analysis of Ambient Air in Canisters by Method TO-15, (SOP # HW-31. Revision #4. The QC criteria and data validation actions listed on the data review worksheets are from the primary guidance document, unless otherwise noted.

In general the data is valid as reported and may be used for decision making purposes. The data results are acceptable for use. Results for Acetone in samples 1503058A-01A-1503058A-04A were qualified as estimated (J) due to RPD for field duplicates outside method performance criteria of  $\pm$  25 %. Results for Acetone were qualified as estimated (J) in samples 1503058A-01A-1503058A-04A due to continuing calibration check outside %D criteria. Results for 2-Propanol in samples 1503058B-06A and 1503058B-07A were qualified as estimated (J) due to RPD for field duplicates outside method performance criteria of  $\pm$  25 %;

SAMPLES

The samples me	SIGNED.				
Client Sample ID	Lab. Sample ID	Collected Date	Matrix	Analysis	
B6-AA-2	1503058A-01A	03/02/2015	Air	VOCs	
B6-1IA	1503058A-02A	03/02/2015	Air	VOCs	
B6-2IA	1503058A-03A	03/02/2015	Air	VOCs	
B6-2IADup	1503058A-04A	03/02/2015	Air	VOCs	

The samples included in the review are listed below

Client Sample ID	Lab. Sample ID	Collected Date	Matrix	Analysis
B6-1SS	1503058B-05A	02/03/2015	Air	Methane
B6-2SS	1503058B-06A	02/03/2015	Air	Methane
B6-2SSDup	1503058B-07A	02/03/2015	Air	Methane

#### **REVIEW ELEMENTS**

Sample data were reviewed for the following parameters, where applicable to the method

- o Agreement of analysis conducted with chain of custody (COC) form
- o Holding time and sample preservation
- o Gas chromatography/mass spectrometry (GC/MS) tunes
- o Initial and continuing calibrations
- o Method blanks/trip blanks/field blank
- Canister cleaning certification criteria
- o Surrogate spike recovery
- o Internal standard performance and retention times
- o Field duplicate results
- Laboratory control sample/laboratory control sample duplicate (LCS/LCSD) results
- o Quantitation limits and sample results

#### DISCUSSION

### **Agreement of Analysis Conducted with COC Request**

Sample reports corresponded to the analytical request designated on the chain-of-custody form.

### **Holding Times and Sample Preservation**

Sample preservation was acceptable.

Samples analyzed within method recommended holding time.

#### **GC/MS Tunes**

The frequency and abundance of bromofluorobenzene (BFB) tunes were within the QC acceptance criteria. All samples were analyzed within the tuning criteria associated with the method.

### **Initial and Continuing Calibrations**

### VOCs (Method TO-15)

The percent relative standard deviations (%RSDs) and response factors (RFs) of all target analytes were within the QC acceptance criteria in the initial calibration. Correlation coefficients (r²) of target analytes were within the QC acceptance criteria. Ongoing accuracy of the instrument was determined by the analysis of a continuing calibration standard.

### Method Blank/Trip Blank/Field Blank

Target analytes were not detected in laboratory method blanks.

Summa canister met cleaning certification criteria.

No trip/field blank analyzed with this data package.

### **Surrogate Spike Recovery**

The surrogate recoveries were within the laboratory QC acceptance limits in all samples analyzed.

### **Internal Standard Performance**

### VOCs (TO-15)

Samples were spiked with the method specified internal standard. Internal standard are performance and retention times met the QC acceptance criteria in all sample analyses and calibration standards.

### **Laboratory/Field Duplicate Results**

Field/laboratory duplicates were analyzed as part of this data set. Target analytes meet the RPD performance criteria of +25% for analytes  $5 \times SQL$  except for the followings:

- Results for Acetone in samples 1503058A-03A and 1503058A-04A were qualified as estimated (j) due to RPD for field duplicates outside method performance criteria of  $\pm 25\%$ .
- Results for 2-Propanol in samples 1503058B-06A and 1503058B-07A were qualified as estimated (I) due to RPD for field duplicates outside method performance criteria of + 25 %.

### LCS/LCSD Results

#### **VOCs**

LCS/LCSD (blank spike) were analyzed by the laboratory associated with this data package. Recoveries and RPD within laboratory control limits.

#### **Quantitation Limits and Sample Results**

Dilutions were performed on TO-15 samples (see worksheet).

Calculations were spot checked.

### **Certification**

The following samples 1503058A-01A; 1503058A-02A; 1503058A-03A; 1503058A-04A; 1503058B-05A; 1503058B-06A; and 1503058B-07A were analyzed following standard procedures accepted by regulatory agencies. The quality control requirements met the methods criteria except in the occasions described in this document. The results are valid. Some of the results were qualified.

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### Client Sample ID: B6-AA-2 Lab ID#: 1503058A-01A

### MODIFIED EPA METHOD TO-15 GC/MS FULL SCAN

File Name: Dil. Factor:	e030608 1.37	Date of Collection: 3/2/15 9:38:00 AM Date of Analysis: 3/6/15 10:32 AM		
Compound	Rpt. Limit (ppbv)	Amount (ppbv)	Rpt. Limit (ug/m3)	Amount (ug/m3)
Benzene	0.14	0.20	0.44	0.63
Ethyl Benzene	0.14	0.030 J	0.59	0.13 J
m,p-Xylene	0.14	0.029 J	0.59	0.12 J
o-Xylene	0.14	Not Detected	0.59	Not Detected
Toluene	0.14	0.17	0.52	0.64

0.14

0.68

0.023 J

1.8 7

J = Estimated value.

Acetone

4-Methyl-2-pentanone

Container Type: 6 Liter Summa Canister (100% Certified)

		Method
Surrogates	%Recovery	Limits
1,2-Dichloroethane-d4	107	70-130
Toluene-d8	100	70-130
4-Bromofluorobenzene	88	70-130



0.56

1.6

0.096 J

4.4



### Client Sample ID: B6-1IA Lab ID#: 1503058A-02A

### MODIFIED EPA METHOD TO-15 GC/MS FULL SCAN

File Name: Dil. Factor:	e030609 3.90		e of Collection:  3/2/ e of Analysis:  3/6/15	
Compound	Rpt. Limit	Amount	Rpt Limit	Amount
	(ppbv)	(ppbv)	(ug/m3)	(ug/m3)

Compound	(ppbv)	(ppbv)	(ug/m3)	(ug/m3)
Benzene	0.39	0.099 J	1.2	0.32 J
Ethyl Benzene	0.39	0.10 J	1.7	0.46 J
m,p-Xylene	0.39	0.23 J	1.7	1.0 J
o-Xylene	0.39	Not Detected	1.7	Not Detected
Toluene	0.39	0.44	1.5	1.7
4-Methyl-2-pentanone	0.39	0.097 J	1.6	0.40 J
Acetone	2.0	7.6 <b>为</b>	4.6	18

J = Estimated value.

Container Type: 6 Liter Summa Canister (100% Certified)

		Method
Surrogates	%Recovery	Limits
1,2-Dichloroethane-d4	103	70-130
Toluene-d8	99	70-130
4-Bromofluorobenzene	90	70-130





### Client Sample ID: B6-2IA Lab ID#: 1503058A-03A

### MODIFIED EPA METHOD TO-15 GC/MS FULL SCAN

File Name: Dil. Factor:			e of Collection: 3/2/ e of Analysis: 3/6/1	
Compound	Rpt. Limit (ppbv)	Amount (ppbv)	Rpt. Limit (ug/m3)	Amount (ug/m3)
Benzene	0.26	0.26 J	0.85	0.84 J
Ethyl Benzene	0.26	0.14 J	1.2	0.60 J
m,p-Xylene	0.26	0.36	1.2	1.6
o-Xylene	0.26	0.069 J	1.2	0.30 J
Toluene	0.26	0.69	1.0	2.6
4-Methyl-2-pentanone	0.26	0.20 J	1.1	0.82 J
Acetone	1.3	13 <b>1</b>	3.1	31

J = Estimated value.

Container Type: 6 Liter Summa Canister (100% Certified)

		Method
Surrogates	%Recovery	Limits
1,2-Dichloroethane-d4	106	70-130
Toluene-d8	99	70-130
4-Bromofluorobenzene	88	70-130





File Name:

#### Air Toxics

e030611

### Client Sample ID: B6-2IADup Lab ID#: 1503058A-04A

### MODIFIED EPA METHOD TO-15 GC/MS FULL SCAN

Date of Collection: 3/2/15 12:08:00 PM

Dil. Factor:	2.72	Date	Date of Analysis: 3/6/15 12:57 PM		
Compound	Rpt. Limit (ppbv)	Amount (ppbv)	Rpt. Limit (ug/m3)	Amount (ug/m3)	
Benzene	0.27	0.11 J	0.87	0.36 J	
Ethyl Benzene	0.27	0.13 J	1.2	0.58 J	
m,p-Xylene	0.27	0.34	1.2	1.5	
o-Xylene	0.27	0.054 J	1.2	0.23 J	
Toluene	0.27	0.58	1.0	2.2	
4-Methyl-2-pentanone	0.27	0.17 J	1.1	0.68 J	
Acetone	1.4	7.1 <b>J</b>	3.2	17	

J = Estimated value.

Container Type: 6 Liter Summa Canister (100% Certified)

Surrogates	%Recovery	Method Limits
1,2-Dichloroethane-d4	103	70-130
Toluene-d8	100	70-130
4-Bromofluorobenzene	90	70-130





### Client Sample ID: B6-1SS Lab ID#: 1503058B-05A

### **EPA METHOD TO-15 GC/MS FULL SCAN**

	Rnt. Limit	Amount	Rpt. Limit	Amount
Dil. Factor:	6.72	Da	te of Analysis: 3/6/15	12:05 AM
File Name:	j030 <b>52</b> 3	Da	te of Collection: 3/2/1	5 4:35:00 PM

Compound	Rpt. Limit (ppbv)	Amount (ppbv)	Rpt. Limit (ug/m3)	Amount (ug/m3)
Benzene	3.4	1.2 J	11	3.9 J
2-Propanol	13	970	33	2400
Ethyl Benzene	3.4	0.74 J	14	3.2 J
m,p-Xylene	3.4	2.5 J	14	11 J
o-Xylene	3.4	7.2	14	31
4-Methyl-2-pentanone	3.4	1.3 J	14	5.4 J
Acetone	34	140	80	330
Toluene	3.4	2.8 J	13	11 J

J = Estimated value.

Container Type: 1 Liter Summa Canister (100% Certified)

Surrogates	%Recovery	Method Limits
Toluene-d8	98	70-130
1,2-Dichloroethane-d4	102	70-130
4-Bromofluorobenzene	100	70-130





Client Sample ID: B6-2SS Lab ID#: 1503058B-06A

### EPA METHOD TO-15 GC/MS FULL SCAN

Pile Name: Dil. Factor:	j030521 2.99	•		15 3:08:00 PM 5 11:12 PM
Compound				Amount (ug/m3)
Benzene	1.5	0.32 J	4.8	1.0 J
2-Propanol	6.0	210 <b>J</b>	15	530
Ethyl Benzene	1.5	130	6.5	560

m,p-Xylene 1.5 410 6.5 1800 o-Xylene 1.5 86 6.5 370 4-Methyl-2-pentanone 1.5 3.3 6.1 14 Acetone 15 160 36 390 Toluene 1.5 1.8 5.6 7.0

J = Estimated value.

Container Type: 1 Liter Summa Canister (100% Certified)

Surrogates	%Recovery	Method Limits
Toluene-d8	99	70-130
1,2-Dichloroethane-d4	99	70-130
4-Bromofluorobenzene	97	70-130

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### Client Sample ID: B6-2SSDup Lab ID#: 1503058B-07A

### **EPA METHOD TO-15 GC/MS FULL SCAN**

File Name:	j030522	Date of Collection: 3/2/15 3:08:00 PM
Dil. Factor:	4.87	Date of Analysis: 3/5/15 11:39 PM

Compound	Rpt. Limit (ppbv)	Amount (ppbv)	Rpt. Limit (ug/m3)	Amount (ug/m3)
Benzene	2.4	Not Detected	7.8	Not Detected
2-Propanol	9.7	660 <b>7</b>	24	1600
Ethyl Benzene	2.4	100	10	450
m,p-Xylene	2.4	320	10	1400
o-Xylene	2.4	68	10	300
4-Methyl-2-pentanone	2.4	2.8	10	12
Acetone	24	140	58	320
Toluene	2.4	1.7 J	9.2	6.4 J

J = Estimated value.

Container Type: 1 Liter Summa Canister (100% Certified)

		Method
Surrogates	%Recovery	Limits
Toluene-d8	99	70-130
1,2-Dichloroethane-d4	99	70-130
4-Bromofluorobenzene	101	70-130



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	Project Number:1503058A/1503058B_
	Date:03/02/2015
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REVIEW OF VOLATILE ORGA	
The following guidelines for evaluating volatile organics was actions. This document will assist the reviewer in using pro-	
decision and in better serving the needs of the data users. The	
USEPA data validation guidance documents in the follow	
"Compendium Method TO-15. Determination of Volatile Org	
Specially-Prepared Canisters and Analyzed By Gas Chr	
January, 1999"; USEPA Hazardous Waste Support Branc	
Analysis of Ambient Air in Canisters by Method TO-15, (SOP	
QC criteria and data validation actions listed on the data review	ew worksheets are from the primary guidance
document, unless otherwise noted.	
The hardcopied (laboratory name) _EurofinsAir_Toxics	
reviewed and the quality control and performance data summa	rrzed. The data review for VOCs included:
Lab. Project/SDG No.:1503058A/1503058B	Sample matrix:Air
No. of Samples:7	Cample matrixAll
Trip blank No.:	
Field blank No.:	
Equipment blank No.:	
Field duplicate No.:B6-2SS/B6-2SS_Dup	
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X Data Completeness	X Laboratory Control Spikes
X Holding Times	X Field Duplicates
X GC/MS Tuning	X Calibrations
X Internal Standard Performance	X Compound Identifications
X Blanks	X Compound Quantitation
X Surrogate Recoveries	X Quantitation Limits
N/A_Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicate	
Overall Comments:_Selected_VOC's_by_method_TO-15	
Definition of Qualifiers:	
J- Estimated results	
U- Compound not detected	
R- Rejected data	
UJ- Estimated nondetect	
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Date: 03/14/2015	

# **DATA REVIEW WORKSHEETS**

# DATA COMPLETENESS

MISSING INFORMATION	DATE LAB. CONTACTED	DATE RECEIVED
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All criteria were metX
Criteria were not met
and/or see below

### **HOLDING TIMES**

The objective of this parameter is to ascertain the validity of the results based on the holding time of the sample from time of collection to the time of analysis.

Complete table for all samples and note the analysis and/or preservation not within criteria

SAMPLE ID	DATE SAMPLED	DATE ANALYZED	pН	ACTION
ΔΙ	l samples analyzed w	 vithin the recommended	l method	holding time
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### Criteria

Aqueous samples – 14 days from sample collection for preserved samples (pH  $\leq$  2, 4°C), no air bubbles.

Aqueous samples - 7 days from sample collection for unpreserved samples, 4°C, no air bubbles.

Soil samples- 7 days from sample collection.

Cooler temperature (Criteria: 4 ± 2 °C): N/A – summa canisters

### **Actions**

If the VOCs vial(s) have air bubbles, estimate positive results (J) and reject nondetects (R).

If the % solids of soil samples is 10-50%, estimates positive results (J) and nondetects (UJ)

If the % solid of soil samples is < 10%, estimate positive results (J) and reject nondetects (R).

If holding times are exceeded but < 14 days beyond criteria, estimate positive results (J) and nondetects (UJ).

If holding times are exceeded but < 28 days beyond criteria, estimate positive results (J) and reject nondetects (R).

If holding times are grossly exceeded (> 28 days beyond criteria), reject all results (R).

If samples were not iced or if the ice were melted (> 10°C), estimate positive results (J) and nondetects (UJ).

# **DATA REVIEW WORKSHEETS**

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List	the	samples	affected:
If no, use professi qualified or rejected		mine whether the associated dat	a should be accepted,
XBFB tuning	was performed for eve	ry 24 hours of sample analysis.	
XThe BFB p	erformance results were	e reviewed and found to be within	the specified criteria.
The assessment of standard tuning QC		to determine if the sample instru	mentation is within the
GC/MS TUNING			
		Crit	eria were not met see below
			All criteria were met X

If mass calibration is in error, all associated data are rejected.

All criteria were metX
Criteria were not met
and/or see below

### **CALIBRATION VERIFICATION**

Compliance requirements for satisfactory instrument calibration are established to ensure that the instrument is capable of producing and maintaining acceptable quantitative data.

Date of initial calibration:	03/04/15
Dates of continuing calibration	n:03/05/15
Instrument ID numbers:N	MSD-J
Matrix/Level:	_Air/low

DATE	LAB ID#	FILE	CRITERIA OUT RFs, %RSD, %D, r	COMPOUND	SAMPLES AFFECTED
Initial and	continuis	aa aalibi		nocific requirements	
			requirements.	pecilic requirements.	Initial calibration retention
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### Criteria

All RFs must be > 0.05 regardless of method requirements for SPCC.

All %RSD must be  $\leq$  15 % regardless of method requirements for CCC.

All %Ds must be < 30% regardless of method requirements for CCC.

Method TO-15 does not specify criterion for the curve correlation coefficient (r). A limit for r of  $\geq$  0.995 has therefore been utilized as professional judgment.

### **Actions**

If any compound has an initial RF or a continuing RF of < 0.05, estimate positive results (J) and reject nondetects (R), regardless of method requirements.

If any compound has a %RSD > 15%, estimate positive results (J) and use professional judgment to qualify nondetects.

If any compound has a %RSD > 90%, estimate positive results (J) and reject nondetects (R).

If any compound has a % D > 30%, estimate positive results (J) and reject nondetects (R).

If any compound has a % D > 30%, estimate positive results (J) and nondetects (UJ).

If any compound has a % D > 90%, estimate positive results (J) and reject nondetects (R).

If any compound has r < 0.995, estimate positive results and nondetects.

A separate worksheet should be filled for each initial curve

All criteria were met
Criteria were not met
and/or see belowX

### **CALIBRATION VERIFICATION**

Compliance requirements for satisfactory instrument calibration are established to ensure that the instrument is capable of producing and maintaining acceptable quantitative data.

Date of initial calibration:	02/10/15
Dates of continuing calibration	on:03/06/15
Instrument ID numbers:	_MSD-E
Matrix/Level:	Air/low

DATE	LAB FILE ID#	CRITERIA OUT	COMPOUND	SAMPLES			
		RFs, %RSD, <u>%<b>D</b></u> , r		AFFECTED			
	Initial and continuing calibrations meet method specific requirements. Initial calibration retention						
	times meet method specific requirements except for the followings:						
02/10/15	e1510210b.m	35.338	Acetone	B6-AA-2; B6-1IA;			
				B6-2IA/B6-2IADup			

#### Criteria

All RFs must be > 0.05 regardless of method requirements for SPCC.

All %RSD must be < 15 % regardless of method requirements for CCC.

All %Ds must be ≤ 30% regardless of method requirements for CCC.

Method TO-15 does not specify criterion for the curve correlation coefficient (r). A limit for r of  $\geq$  0.995 has therefore been utilized as professional judgment.

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If any compound has a % D > 30%, estimate positive results (J) and reject nondetects (R).

If any compound has a % D > 30%, estimate positive results (J) and nondetects (UJ).

If any compound has a % D > 90%, estimate positive results (J) and reject nondetects (R).

If any compound has r < 0.995, estimate positive results and nondetects.

A separate worksheet should be filled for each initial curve

All criteria were metX
Criteria were not met
and/or see below

# V A. BLANK ANALYSIS RESULTS (Sections 1 & 2)

The assessment of the blank analysis results is to determine the existence and magnitude of contamination problems. The criteria for evaluation of blanks apply only to blanks associated with the samples, including trip, equipment, and laboratory blanks. If problems with any blanks exist, all data associated with the case must be carefully evaluated to determine whether or not there is an inherent variability in the data for the case, or if the problem is an isolated occurrence not affecting other data.

List the contamination in the blanks below. High and low levels blanks must be treated separately.

Laboratory blanks

DATE ANALYZED	LAB ID	LEVEL/ MATRIX	COMPOUND	CONCENTRATION UNITS
All_method	d_blank_meeth	 _method_speci	fic_criteria	
Summa_ca	-			
Field <u>/</u> Equipmen				
DATE ANALYZED	LAB ID	LEVEL/ MATRIX	COMPOUND	CONCENTRATION UNITS
No_field/trip/equ	uipment_blanks	_analyzed_with	n_this_data_package	
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All criteria were metX
Criteria were not met
and/or see below

### VB. BLANK ANALYSIS RESULTS (Section 3)

### **Blank Actions**

Action Levels (ALs) should be based upon the highest concentration of contaminant determined in any blank. Do not qualify any blank with another blank. The ALs for samples which have been diluted should be corrected for the sample dilution factor and/or % moisture, where applicable. No positive sample results should be reported unless the concentration of the compound in the samples exceeds the ALs:

ALs = 10x the amount of common contaminants (methylene chloride, acetone, 2-butanone, and toluene)

ALs = 5x for any other compounds

Specific actions are as follows:

If the concentration is < sample quantitation limit (SQL) and  $\le$  AL, report the compound as not detected (U) at the SQL.

If the concentration is  $\geq$  SQL but  $\leq$  AL, report the compound as not detected (U) at the reported concentration.

If the concentration is  $\geq$  SQL and > AL, report the concentration unqualified.

### Notes:

High and low level blanks must be treated separately

Compounds qualified "U" for blank contamination are still considered "hits" when qualifying for calibration criteria.

CONTAMINATION SOURCE/LEVEL	COMPOUND	CONC/UNITS	AL/UNITS	SQL	AFFECTED SAMPLES
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All criteria were metX
Criteria were not met
and/or see below

### SURROGATE SPIKE RECOVERIES

Laboratory performance of individual samples is established by evaluation of surrogate spike recoveries. All samples are spiked with surrogate compounds prior to sample analysis. The accuracy of the analysis is measured by the surrogate percent recovery. Since the effects of the sample matrix are frequently outside the control of the laboratory and may present relatively unique problems, the validation of data is frequently subjective and demands analytical experience and professional judgment.

List the percent recoveries (%Rs) which do not meet the criteria for surrogate recovery.

Matrix: solid/aqueous

SAMPLE ID	SURROGA	ACTION		
	1,2-DICHLOROETHANE- d4	Toluene- d8	4-BFB	
_Surrogate_rec	overies_within_laboratory_contro	ol_limits		
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QC Limits* (Air)				

- \* QC limits are laboratory in-house performance criteria, LL = lower limit, UL = upper limit.
- \* If QC limits are not available, use limits of 80 120 % for aqueous and 70 130 % for solid samples.

\_70\_\_to\_130\_\_\_70\_\_to\_130\_\_\_

### Actions:

QUALITY	%R < 10%	%R = 10% - LL	%R > UL
Positive results	J	J	J
Nondetects results	R	UJ	Accept

Surrogate action should be applied:

LL\_to\_UL\_\_\_70\_\_to\_130\_\_

If one or more surrogate in the VOC fraction is out of specification, but has a recovery of > 10%.

If any one surrogate in a fraction shows < 10 % recovery.

All criteria were met
Criteria were not met
and/or see belowN/A

### VII. A MATRIX SPIKE/MATRIX SPIKE DUPLICATE (MS/MSD)

This data is generated to determine long term precision and accuracy in the analytical method for various matrices. This data alone cannot be used to evaluate the precision and accuracy of individual samples. If any % R in the MS or MSD falls outside the designated range, the reviewer should determine if there are matrix effects, i.e. LCS data are within the QC limits but MS/MSD data are outside QC limit.

#### 1. MS/MSD Recoveries and Precision Criteria

The laboratory should use one MS and a duplicate analysis of an unspiked field sample if target analytes are expected in the sample. If target analytes are not expected, MS/MSD should be analyzed.

	D of the compounds					-
MS OR MSD	COMPOUND	% R	RPD	QC LIMITS	ACTION	
	are_not_required_as	-		•	oike_used_to_asses	S

- \* QC limits are laboratory in-house performance criteria, LL = lower limit, UL = upper limit.
- \* If QC limits are not available, use limits of 70 130 %.

### Actions:

QUALITY	%R < LL	%R > UL
Positive results	J	J
Nondetects results	R	Accept

MS/MSD criteria apply only to the unspiked sample, its dilutions, and the associated MS/MSD samples:

If the % R for the affected compounds were < LL (or 70 %), qualify positive results (J) and nondetects (UJ).

If the % R for the affected compounds were > UL (or 130 %), only qualify positive results (J).

If 25 % or more of all MS/MSD %R were < LL (or 70 %) or if two or more MS/MSD %Rs were < 10%, qualify all positive results (J) and reject nondetects (R).

A separate worksheet should be used for each MS/MSD pair.

All criteria were met
Criteria were not met
and/or see belowN/A

### VII. B MATRIX SPIKE/MATRIX SPIKE DUPLICATE

MS/MSD - Unspiked Compounds

It should be noted that Method TO-15 does not specify a MS/MSD criteria for the unspiked compounds in the sample. A %RSD of < 50% has therefore been utilized as professional judgment.

If all target analytes were spiked in the MS/MSD, this review element is not applicable.

List the %RSD of the compounds which do not meet the criteria.

Sample ID:			Matrix/Le	vel/Unit:	
COMPOUND	SAMPLE CONC.	MS CONC.	MSD CONC.	% RSD	ACTION
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### Actions:

<sup>\*</sup> If the % RSD > 50, qualify the positive result in the unspiked samples as estimated (J).

<sup>\*</sup> If the % RSD is not calculated (NC) due to nondetected value, use professional judgment to qualify the data.

All criteria were metX
Criteria were not met
and/or see below

#### VIII. LABORATORY CONTROL SAMPLE (LCS) ANALYSIS

This data is generated to determine accuracy of the analytical method for various matrices.

#### 1. LCS Recoveries Criteria

Where LCS spiked with the same analyte at the same concentrations as the MS/MSD? Yes or No. If no make note in data review memo.

List the %R of compounds which do not meet the criteria

	LCS ID	COMPOUND	% R	QC LIMIT
		e)_analyzed_in_this_data_		nd_RPD_within
laboratory	_control_limits.			
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- QC limits are laboratory in-house performance criteria, LL = lower limit, UL = upper limit.
- If QC limits are not available, use limits of 70 130 %.

### Actions:

QUALITY	%R < LL	%R > UL
Positive results	J	J
Nondetects results	R	Accept

All analytes in the associated sample results are qualified for the following criteria.

If 25 % of the LCS recoveries were < LL (or 70 %), qualify all positive results (i) and reject nondetects (R).

If two or more LCS were below 10 %, qualify all positive results as (J) and reject nondetects (R).

#### 2. Frequency Criteria:

Where LCS analyzed at the required frequency and for each matrix? Yes or No. If no, the data may be affected. Use professional judgment to determine the severity of the effect and qualify data accordingly. Discuss any actions below and list the samples affected.

			All criteria were met Criteria were not met and/or see belowX
IX.	LABORATORY	DUPLICATE PRECISION	
	Sample IDs:	_B6-2IA/B6-2IADup	Matrix:Air

Field duplicates samples may be taken and analyzed as an indication of overall precision. These analyses measure both field and lab precision; therefore, the results may have more variability than laboratory duplicates which only laboratory performance. It is also expected that soil duplicate results will have a greater variance than water matrices due to difficulties associated with collecting identical field duplicate samples.

The project QAPP should be reviewed for project-specific information. Suggested criteria: RPD  $\pm$  25% for air samples. If both samples and duplicate are <5 SQL, the RPD criteria is doubled.

COMPOUND	SQL	SAMPLE CONC.	DUPLICATE CONC.	RPD	ACTION
Acetone	1.3	13	7.1	59 %	Qualify results in sample and duplicate
RPI	) D within the n	 nethod perfor	 mance criteria f	or all othe	r analytes.

### Actions:

Qualify as estimated positive results (J) and nondetects (UJ) for the compound that exceeded the above criteria. For organics, only the sample and duplicate will be qualified.

If an RPD cannot be calculated because one or both of the sample results is not detected, the following actions apply:

If one sample result is not detected and the other is greater than 5x the SQL qualify (J/UJ).

If one sample value is not detected and the other is greater than 5x the SQL and the SQLs for the sample and duplicate are significantly different, use professional judgment to determine if qualification is appropriate.

If one sample value is not detected and the other is less than 5x, use professional judgment to determine if qualification is appropriate.

If both sample and duplicate results are not detected, no action is needed.

			All criteria were met Criteria were not met and/or see belowX
IX.	LABORATOR	Y DUPLICATE PRECISION	
	Sample IDs:	_B6-2SS/B6-2SSDup	Matrix:Air

Field duplicates samples may be taken and analyzed as an indication of overall precision. These analyses measure both field and lab precision; therefore, the results may have more variability than laboratory duplicates which only laboratory performance. It is also expected that soil duplicate results will have a greater variance than water matrices due to difficulties associated with collecting identical field duplicate samples.

The project QAPP should be reviewed for project-specific information. Suggested criteria: RPD  $\pm$  25% for air samples. If both samples and duplicate are <5 SQL, the RPD criteria is doubled.

COMPOUND	SQL	SAMPLE CONC.	DUPLICATE CONC.	RPD	ACTION
2-Propanol	9.7	210	660	103 %	Qualify results in sample and duplicate
RPD w	/ithin the m	ethod perfor	 mance criteria f	 or all othe	r analytes.

### Actions:

Qualify as estimated positive results (J) and nondetects (UJ) for the compound that exceeded the above criteria. For organics, only the sample and duplicate will be qualified.

If an RPD cannot be calculated because one or both of the sample results is not detected, the following actions apply:

If one sample result is not detected and the other is greater than 5x the SQL qualify (J/UJ).

If one sample value is not detected and the other is greater than 5x the SQL and the SQLs for the sample and duplicate are significantly different, use professional judgment to determine if qualification is appropriate.

If one sample value is not detected and the other is less than 5x, use professional judgment to determine if qualification is appropriate.

If both sample and duplicate results are not detected, no action is needed.

All criteria were met _X
Criteria were not met
and/or see below

#### X. INTERNAL STANDARD PERFORMANCE

The assessment of the internal standard (IS) parameter is used to assist the data reviewer in determining the condition of the analytical instrumentation.

List the internal standard area of samples which do not meet the criteria.

Area of +40% or -40% of the IS area in the associated calibration standard.

Retention time (RT) within  $\pm$  0.06 seconds of the IS area in the associated calibration standard.

DATE	SAMPLE ID	IS OUT	IS AREA	ACCEPTABLE RANGE	ACTION
	tandard_area_and_reration_standards	etention_times_	within_laboratory	_control_limits_for_	both_samples
Actions:					

1. IS actions should be applied to the compound quantitated with the out-of-control ISs

QUALITY	IS AREA < -40%	IS AREA > + 40%
Positive results	J	J
Nondetected results	R	ACCEPT

2. If a IS retention time varies more than 0.330 seconds, the chromatographic profile for that sample must be examined to determine if any false positive or negative exists. For shifts of a large magnitude, the reviewer may consider partial or total rejection of the data for the sample fraction.

### **DATA REVIEW WORKSHEETS**

All criteria were metX
Criteria were not met
and/or see below

### XII. SAMPLE QUANTITATION

The sample quantitation evaluation is to verify laboratory quantitation results. In the space below, please show a minimum of one sample calculation:

**B6-1SS** 

Acetone

RF = 0.48219

[] = (46811)(25.0)/(117187)(0.48219)

= 20.71 ppbv OK

All criteria were metX
Criteria were not met
and/or see below

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# A. Dilution performed

SAMPLE ID		REASONS FOR DILUTION
Dilution was per to the presence	formed on samples B6- of high level target spec	1SS (6.72 x); B6-2SS (2.99); and B6-2SSDup (4.87) due ies.
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Р	Percent Solids
L	ist samples which have ≤ 50 % solids
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# Actions:

If the % solids of a soil sample is 10-50%, estimate positive results (J) and nondetects (UJ)

If the % solids of a soil sample is < 10%, estimate positive results (J) and reject nondetects (R)